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In re Application of:)	
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Takashi HASEBE et al.)	Group Art Unit: 2853
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Application No.: 10/806,155)	Examiner: Leonard S. Liang
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For: IMAGE RECORDING APPARATUS)	

Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

AMENDMENT

In reply to the Office Action mailed April 4, 2006, the period for response to which extends through July 5, 2006, as July 4, 2006 is a Federal Holiday, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract are set forth on page 13 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 14 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings are made in the attached Replacement Sheets and are discussed both on page 17 and in the **Remarks** section of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 18 of this paper.

Attachments to this Amendment include one (1) Replacement Abstract; and two (2) sheets of drawings, each labeled "Replacement Sheet," containing amended FIGs. 7 and 8.